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NUTMEG LEAGUE ADOPTS SCHEDULF

Annual Meeting Fixes Opening Date for Season on April 21st-Last Games Will Be Played on September 9th.

Hartford March 9.—There was little done at the annual meeting of the directors of the Connecticut baseball league here today other than to adopt the schedule for 1911. As adopted, the senson opens on April 21st with Bridgeport at New Haven, Holyoke at New Britain, Hartford at Springfield and Northampton at Waterbury. The season closes on Sept. 9 with games at Holyoke, Waterbury, New Haven and Hartford.

SCORES GO UP IN

Boston appear in Washington on April 7 and Brooklyn on the following day. It was stated that "compliance with this recommendation will be considered to the came be the commission will be considered to the case."

The Detroit club of the American league failed of a rehearing of the case by which it lost title to Player Tice to the Vernon (Cal.) club. The evidence submitted by Detroit, however, showed that Tice falsely represented himself to be a free agent. He was fined \$100 by the commission.

BOWLING TOURNAMENT Thirty Men Are Now Over 600-First Ten Are Over 632.

Buffalo, N. Y., March 9.—Blass and Cullen of Buffalo, bowling in the two-man series, were the only bowlers to break into the front rank in any of the three main events in the international tournament of the National Bowling association here today. The Buffalo team, both youngsters, rolled a total of 1221

In the individual event there are now over 30 men with scores over 600 and it requires better than 632 to join the 10 leaders. The best score made today was that of Kalton of Cleveland, who

The pairing of the Richmond team in the double event deprived them of the leadership in the tournament. Blair scored 627 and Whitman 646, a total of 1273, compared with 1249, the score of the Detroit leaders.

NEW LONDON CHOSEN

FOR COLLINS-SMITH RACE. Both Runners Now in Training for the Marathon.

Carter Collins, the New Haven pro-fessional distance runner, is prepar-ing at the College City for his Mara-thon with Wilbur Smith fo this city, says a New London exchangs. Can-nonball park has been obtained as the scene of the event and the date will be as previously announced, Good Friday afternoon, April 14. New London was selected in preference to Norwich, where it was expected that the runners would meet.

Smith is training here and when the hell rings next month he house to

the bell rings next month he hopes to be in the best of condition for the task that confronts him. Collins performed weil in his fifteen mile run at New Haven in January with Henri St. Yves and John Svanberg.

BASEBALL DECISIONS.

On Washington-Brooklyn-Boston Dispute-No Rehearing of the Tice

Cincinnati, March 9.—Decisions affecting major league clubs were given out by the national baseball commission today. They include a proposed solution of a dispute between the Washington American league club and the Brooklyn and Boston National league organizations over exhibition games in the national capital next month.

TO ALLOW BOXING

BEFORE CHARTERED CLUBS Six-Ounce Gloves and Unlimited Rounds Named in Bill Before State

Hartford, March 9.—A bill which would allow boxing contests, unlimited rounds, and with every precaution made for examination of the contest ants and proper supervision of conditions, was given a hearing before the committee on public health and safety today. The bill will provide that six-ounce gloves be used. Only chartered clubs will be allowed to carry on the contests. Senator McNeil, in favoring the bill, claimed that boxing and other athletic contests are being held in the state, in many instances, in violation of the law. The bill provides for local option on the question of helding contests in towns, but does not contain the local optin feature as applied to cities.

Richard Howell of Bridgeport also appeared in favor, saying that it aims to supervise sports that hitherto in this state have been going on without supervision.

E. J. Maroney of New Haven spoke in favor, saying that boxing is permitted in that city and there is no faking.

Spalding Baseball Guide Published.

Spalding's Official Baseball Guide has made its appearance for 1911 and is up to all expectations of the fans. As usual, the pictorial part is a prominent feature and the arrangement and display of the big leaguers shows a vast amount of thought and work. The text is also comprehensive and interesting, the leading feature for this year being a symposium, compiled by Editor John B. Foster, of the views of the leading baseball writers of the country on suggestions that have been advanced looking toward a change in the rules with a view of handicapping the pitchers. It will be sent to any address in the United States or Canada upon receipt of 10 cents by the publishers, the American Sports Publishing Co., 21 Warren street, New York, Spalding Baseball Guide Published.

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Contracts and Releases Approved.

New York, March 3.—President Lynch of the National league announced approval of the following contracts and releases tonight:

Contracts: With Boston, William I. Burke, H. S. Spratt, Frank Pfeffer and with the Boston could come april 5 and 8, but that subsequently it was advised that the Brooklyn team was to appear in Washington on those days and that Boston could come April 5 and 6. As games had been booked elsewhere for those days, Boston asked the commissions to intervene.

The commission recommended that Contracts and Releases Approved.

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FINANCIAL AND COMMERCIAL.

A TRANQUIL MARKET,

Mexican Situation Has No Influence

Not Being Regarded as Serious. New York March 9.—The stock market passed through a tranquil day with nothing to disturb the dead level with nothing to disturb the dead lever of prices except moderate movemer in half a dozen issues. Union Pacis Great Northern preferred and Waba preferred gained about a point, a Missouri Pacific los? a point. To ther stocks, after a feeble advance the opening, fell back to approximate yesterday's final figures and were a disturbed again through the remaind of the sleepy session. The tone we good all day, however, and prices on not yield in spite of lack of dema from any quarter. The market's atton indicated that the bulk of stocis still in the hands of strong interests which are in a position to he them indefinitely.

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them indefinitely.

The Mexican situation was hardly market influence today. Apprehe sions as to possible developments Mexico were allayed by the stro representations as to the peaceful stitude of Washington, and Mexico Rallway shares, although they did recover yesterday's loss, declined further.

Operations on the long side of tomarket could make no capital frithe reduction of the English bank refrom 3 1-3 to 3 per cent. The reduction already had been discounted the London market and had no influence either here or abroad. To change is the third cut since the first of the year and the fourth consecutive duction since Oct. 20 last, when trate was 5 per cent. The bank's receives were increased materially the week's operations, so that no disculty stood in the way of placing to official rate at a figure near the potential rate at a figure near the

Foreign exchange rates were lo today, following the reduction of English bank rate. The change in English rate, it is expected, will to reduce London borrowing such has been going on recently in the parket.

market.

Bonds were firm, with Wabash fours the feature. Total sales, par value, \$3,272,000. United States fours declined 1-4 per cent. on call.

STOCKS.

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COTTON.

New York, March 9.—Cotton spot closed quiet, 15 points higher; middling uplands, 14.45; middling gulf, 14.70; sales, 9,466 bales, Futures closed steady. Closing bids: March 14.16, April 14.23, May 14.35, June 14.18, July 14.18, August 13.73, September —, October 12.62, November —, December 12.50, January 12.47.

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Market Cod. 10 Round Clams, op. Off S. Haddock, 12 Steak Pollock, 12 Am. Sardines, 56 15 Impt. Sardines, 25 Lobsters—Lve. 20 Blackfish, 15 Steak Cod, 18 Brand, box. 60 Flounders, 10-12 Weakfish, 15 Hallbut, 22 Small Mackerel, 20 Bluefish, 20-25 Eels. 15-18 Salmon, 30 Sunfish, 10 Whitefish, 20 Roe Shad, 28 Lake Trout, 20 Steak, 25 Shad, 20

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MIDDLEWEIGHT CHAMPION Wolgast Says He is the Toughest Scrapper He Has Ever Met,

Ad Wolgast believes that Johnny Phompson, the Sycamore fighter, is lestined to be the middleweight champion of the world.

The little Chicago scrapper thinks

The little Chicago scrapper thinks Thompson is the toughest fighter he ever met. When Wolgast heard that Thompson had taken on so much weight in Australia, as to graduats from the lightweight class, Ad said he breathed a sigh of relief. Wolgast has fought Thompson and he knows the Sycamore battler is a tough proposition, one that would stand a good chace of taking the Wolverine fighter's title away from him if they were to meet in a long bout and Thampson could make the weight.

"If the reports that have come from Australia regarding Thompson's weight are true, the Sycamore fighter surely will be the next middleweight champion," Wolgast said after his workout at O'Connell's on Monday. "He is the toughest fighter I ever met. He can take a lot of punishment without any apparent effects and he has a good punch.

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out any apparent effects and he has a good punch.

"His victory over Billy Papke proves my statements and if he is handled properly when he returns to this country, I am sure he will beat any of them, Sam Langford included. I have not seen Huge Kelly fight in the last three years. Consequently I do not know how good he is, but I think he has been in the game a little too long to beat a good fighter over the long route, and you must remember you cannot judge a champion's fighting ability over the short distances."

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BILL BANNON, UMPIRE,

CAUGHT THE BALL All That Saved His Life from Catchers' Wicked Heave.

Bill Bannon and Bobby Hart, the two famous polo players and Eastern league umpires, broke into the umpiring game the same year in the Ohio and Pennsylvania lague. Both Bannon and Hart had played wonderful polo that season and their ability as ahtletes was so well known that President Morton of the O. and P. had no hesitation in appointing both on his staff of arbitrators. Hart had a hard time with the fans for a while, but Bannon took to the work like a duck to water. Until they gained a little experience, they worked double together. Hart would judge strikes, while Bannon would look after the decisions on the bases.

One day Akron and New Castle were playing a close game in Akron. Mickey

on the bases.
One day Akron and New Castle were playing a close game in Akron. Mickey Lalonge, a catcher now with San Francisco, was behind the bat. Mickey was noted for his strong throwing arm, and all base runners were afraid of him. A New Castle player had taken a long lead off first and dashed for second on the next pitched ball.
Lalonge received the ball and made a quick heave to second. The throw was a little low and was going squarely for the silver head of Bannon. Bannon had no time to dodge the toss. Suddenly, acting on an uncontrollable impulse, he threw up his hands and caught the ball. The runner reached second in safety, and Manager Walter East and the other Akron players crowded around Bannon in angry protest. Bannon stood immovable and declined to utter a single word, or to in any way express the reason for his peculiar play.

After the same Hart asked Bannon

in any way express the reason for his peculiar play.

After the game Hart asked Bannon why he had caught the catcher's throw. Looking around to see that not one was looking, Bannon exclaimed in a stage whisper, "I did not intend to get killed when I am getting a salary of only \$50 a week."

Bannon made his debut in the Tri-State league the next season, and umpired last year in the I. I. L league.

De Oro Holds Pool Title. New York, March 9.—Alfred De Oro successfully defended his title of pool champion of the world tonight by de-feating Thomas Hueston of St. Louis \$60 to 493.

SPORTOGRAPHS.

Packey McFarland has begun final training for his bout with Owen Moran at the Fairmount A. C., New York, next Tuesday night, He still has to drop two pounds to reach weight.

Boston fight fans are agreed it would take more than ten rounds to decide the better man between Joe Hirst of Philadelphia and Eddie Murphy of Boston, although the latter was given the decision in their bout this week.

Connie Mack is well impressed with his young players. He says: "They are a much better crowd of young fellows than we have had for some time, and by the time the regulars reach Savannah they will be ready to give the old boys a tough game." All of the crack professional hockey teams of Canada will compete in the series of matches to be held on St. Nicholas rink, New York, March 17 to 21. Among the sevens already entered are the Canadian champions, Ottwa; Rentrew of Ontario and the Montreal Wanderers.

to beat a good fighter over the long route, and you must remember you cannot judge a champion's fighting ability over the short distances."

Dave Fultz has 48 candidates in practice for the Columbia university nine.

Ban Johnson, czar of the American league and a member of the national baseball commission, is quoted as saying that no immediate action would be taken by the commission against the company recently organized to make a "future book" on the major league pennant races.

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